

Docket No.: 0425-1076P

(PATENT)

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: Yasushi IKEDA et al.

Application No.: 10/650,918

Confirmation No.: 007977

Filed: August 29, 2003

Art Unit: 1751

For: DEINKING AGENT

Examiner: G. E. Webb

## **AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 November 17, 2006

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 19, 2006, the period for response having been extended two (2) months to expire on November 19, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.